

Apalachicola Aug. 22/79

Dear Dr Gray

I have your postals of the
12th inst & letter of the 18th and enclose
herein your three wants.

E. dichot. is a cultivated branch with
leaves twice as large as wild. The corymb
are not always "short peduncled" as I
said in Bot. Gazette but in the full-
grown bushy plant they are mostly so.
Dry weather this year killed mine.

E. tenuifolium I saw in Decatur Ga 30
years ago when staging from Albany to
Bainbridge. I have but the top of a single
plant preserved in some book I had by me
on my way to Savannah 3 or 4 years
ago. It is nearest *E. glaucescens* but with
different head & leaves. Nothing but its
slender trailing habit I believe keeps
E. scabridens from *E. Aromat.* a var of
which you will probably make it so no

matter about the oversight of the
previosly name plant.

You saw Garber's Lemnophyllum I sup-
pose Poor fellow I wish it was a
good new genus. He sent seed of
Chapmania but I can't get them
up, I believe there is something pecul-
iar in their germination. He also
sent a Commelinia which I thought
C. Virg - but it not In cultivation
it shows quite diffirent & is I suspect
C. erifolium of somebody (my books are
up at the house).

Katee & M^m C are in Rome Ga
& I am solitary & alone and just
now busy with a young mother

So Good bye

A.W. Chapman

You have of course heard of Gray's death
two or three months ago.